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CS   (1) Institute of Radio Engineering and Electronics, Academy of Sciences
of
     the Czech Republic, Chaberska 57, 182 51, Prague 8: pokorny@ure.cas.cz
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SO   Electro- and Magnetobiology, (November, 2001) Vol. 20, No. 3, pp.
371-396.
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AU Shankar V S; Simon B J; Bax C M; Pazianas M; Moonga B S; Adebanjo O A; Zaidi M
CS Center for Osteoporosis and Skeletal Aging, Philadelphia VA Medical Center, Pennsylvania 19104, USA.
NC R01 AG14917-01 (NIA)
SO JOURNAL OF CELLULAR PHYSIOLOGY, (1998 Sep) 176 (3) 537-44.
Journal code: 0050222. ISSN: 0021-9541.
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AU Hirano, Tomoyasu; Mogi, Tatsushi (1); Tsubaki, Motonari; Hori, Hiroshi; Orii, Yutaka; Anraku, Yasuhiro
CS (1) Dep. Biological Sciences, Graduate Sch. Science, Univ. Tokyo, Hongo, Bunky-ku, Tokyo 113 Japan
SO Journal of Biochemistry (Tokyo), (1997) Vol. 122, No. 2, pp. 430-437.
ISSN: 0021-924X.
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AU BLANK M; SOO L
CS DEP. PHYSIOL. CELLULAR BIOPHYSICS, COLUMBIA UNIV., 630 WEST 168TH ST., NEW
YORK, N.Y. 10032.
SO BIOELECTROCHEM BIOENERG, (1990) 24 (1), 51-62.
CODEN: BEBEBP. ISSN: 0302-4598.
FS BA; OLD
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TI The sequence and energetics of cell membrane transductive coupling to intracellular enzyme systems.
AU Adey, W.R.
CS Pettis Mem. Veterans Hosp., Loma Linda, CA 92357, USA
SO BIOELECTROCHEM. BIOENERGET., (1986) vol. 15, no. 3, pp. 447-456.
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TI Cadmium induces apoptosis in a human T cell line.

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TI Inhibition by cardiolipins of platelet-activating factor-induced rabbit platelet activation.

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TI The effects of Zn2+ on guinea pig isolated heart preparations.

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TI Allergic sensitization in infantile autism.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 96078158 PubMed ID: 7590933
TITLE: Voltage-dependent ion channels on human basophils: do they exist?.
AUTHOR: Beauvais F; Burtin C; **Benveniste J**
CORPORATE SOURCE: INSERM U200, Universite Paris-Sud, Clamart, France.
SOURCE: IMMUNOLOGY LETTERS, **(1995 May)** 46 (1-2) 81-3.
Journal code: 7910006. ISSN: 0165-2478.
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
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AB The presence of voltage-dependent ion channels (particularly Ca2+ channels) on the surface of 'non excitable' cells such as human basophils is a matter of debate. Indeed, in basophils, Ca2+ entry or mobilization is not sufficient by itself to trigger secretion, although enhanced cytosolic Ca2+ concentration increases it. In order to address this question, we used a two-signal model and we report here experiments which suggest the presence of voltage-dependent structures directly or indirectly linked to membrane Ca2+ pathways. Indeed, it is known that, in the presence of PMA at threshold concentration (1st signal), elevation of cytosolic Ca2+ (2nd signal) induces histamine release. We observed that a depolarizing external solution (high K+) induced a Ca(2+)-dependent release of histamine from PMA-treated human basophils. High K+ alone did not induce histamine release. Although the voltage-sensitive component and the physiological relevance of this mechanism remain to be defined, these results suggest that this voltage-dependent Ca2+ influx in the human basophil could contribute to the up-regulation of histamine release.

L13 ANSWER 12 OF 26 MEDLINE
ACCESSION NUMBER: 95321978 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 95321978 PubMed ID: 7598741
TITLE: Human umbilical vein endothelial cells: specific binding of
platelet-activating factor and cytosolic calcium flux.
AUTHOR: Kurth R M; Hirafuji M; **Benveniste J**; Russo-Marie F
CORPORATE SOURCE: Forschung in der Allgemeinmedizin FIDA, Munich, Germany.
SOURCE: BIOCHEMICAL PHARMACOLOGY, **(1995 Jun 16)** 49 (12) 1793-9.
Journal code: 0101032. ISSN: 0006-2952.
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AB An interaction of the platelet-activating factor (Paf) with endothelial cells was investigated using human umbilical vein endothelial cells. Confluent endothelial cells bound [3H]Paf in the presence of 0.25% fatty acid-free serum albumin after culture in media containing either heat-inactivated foetal calf serum or serum substitute. The Scatchard analysis of the saturated specific [3H]Paf binding showed a Bmax of 2.5 fmol indicating 2800 binding sites per endothelial cell. [3H]Paf binding was partially reversible at 20 degrees and 4 degrees and endothelial cells partially metabolized [3H]Paf at 20 degrees but not at 4 degrees. [3H]Paf binding and Paf-mediated increase of cytosolic free calcium were inhibited by specific Paf receptor antagonists which do not interfere with Paf metabolism. Immortalized umbilical vein endothelial cells bound [3H]Paf specifically after culture in the presence of insulin (20 hr, 0.4 U/mL) with non-specific binding in the absence of insulin. The results show that specific Paf binding mediated calcium flux in human endothelial cells.

L13 ANSWER 13 OF 26 MEDLINE
ACCESSION NUMBER: 95296663 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 95296663 PubMed ID: 7777830
TITLE: Correlations between PAF-acether and tumor necrosis factor in rheumatoid arthritis. Influence of parenteral corticosteroids.
AUTHOR: Hilliquin P; Houbaba H; Aissa J; **Benveniste J**; Menkes C J
CORPORATE SOURCE: Service de Rhumatologie A, Hopital Cochin, Paris, France.
SOURCE: SCANDINAVIAN JOURNAL OF RHEUMATOLOGY, **(1995)** 24 (3) 169-73.
Journal code: 0321213. ISSN: 0300-9742.
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AB The aim of this study was to evaluate the presence of PAF-acether (PAF), its specific degrading enzyme acetylhydrolase, and tumor necrosis factor (TNF) concentrations in blood and synovial fluid (SF) from patients with active RA. The variations of the mediators were also evaluated after corticosteroid perfusions in 7 patients. Lipo-PAF (PAF complexed to lipoproteins) was the main form of PAF detected both in blood and in SF, whereas unbound PAF was uncommon. Acetylhydrolase activity was also present in SF, with a strong correlation between serum and SF levels. TNF was detected in most of the samples, and TNF and acetylhydrolase levels were strongly correlated both in blood and in SF. Despite dramatic clinical improvement, corticosteroid treatment was not accompanied by a significant reduction of the concentration of blood mediators, suggesting that these molecules should not be considered as markers of disease activity.

L13 ANSWER 14 OF 26 MEDLINE
ACCESSION NUMBER: 95216978 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 95216978 PubMed ID: 7702404
TITLE: Treatment of carrageenan induced arthritis by the platelet activating factor antagonist BN 50730.
AUTHOR: Hilliquin P; Natour J; Aissa J; Guinot P; Laoussadi S; **Benveniste J**; Menkes C J; Arnoux B
CORPORATE SOURCE: Service de Rhumatologie A, Hopital Cochin, Paris, France.
SOURCE: ANNALS OF THE RHEUMATIC DISEASES, **(1995 Feb)** 54 (2) 140-3.
Journal code: 0372355. ISSN: 0003-4967.
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AB OBJECTIVE--To evaluate the role of platelet activating factor (PAF) in the early stage of arthritis. METHODS--Arthritis was induced in rabbits by weekly intra-articular injections of carrageenan. A PAF receptor antagonist, BN 50730, was used as a preventive or curative agent. RESULTS--BN 50730 was able partially to prevent the development of arthritis, and was also active on established arthritis. The joint arthritis scores of BN treated animals were significantly lower than those of the non-treated animals. The blood concentrations of PAF, PAF bound to lipoproteins (lipo-PAF), and its precursor, lyso-PAF, were not correlated with clinical variations. CONCLUSIONS--The present data demonstrate a therapeutic action of a PAF antagonist in experimental arthritis and suggest a critical role for PAF during the early stage of arthritis.

L13 ANSWER 15 OF 26 MEDLINE
ACCESSION NUMBER: 95011951 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 95011951 PubMed ID: 7523262
TITLE: Anti-IgE induces the opening of non selective cation channels on human basophils.
AUTHOR: Beauvais F; Shimahara T; Inoue I; **Benveniste J**
CORPORATE SOURCE: INSERM U200, Universite Paris-Sud, Clamart, France.
SOURCE: FUNDAMENTAL AND CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, **(1994)** 8 (3) 246-50.

Journal code: 8710411. ISSN: 0767-3981.
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AB Basophils play a major role in allergic reactions-particularly in late phase reactions-by releasing histamine and other mediators of inflammation. Although transmembrane ion fluxes are thought to play an important role in the modulation of histamine release, little is known about ion pathways through the basophil membrane. We thus studied human basophils from normal subjects (n = 25 cells) with the patch-clamp method.

We observed that IgE-dependent activation of human basophils led to the opening of non selective cation channels with a 20pS conductance. This was obtained when the patch pipette was applied onto the cell surface and sealed onto it in order to measure transmembrane currents on a small surface of intact basophils (cell-attached configuration). Non selective channels with the same 20pS conductance were also observed when a membrane patch was detached from basophil and its inner side placed in a Ca(2+)-containing medium (inside-out configuration). These data are a first contribution of the patch-clamp method in the understanding of ion movements in human basophils.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 94322898 PubMed ID: 8047128
TITLE: Memory of water revisited.
COMMENT: Comment on: Nature. 1993 Dec 9;366(6455):525-7
AUTHOR: **Benveniste J**; Ducot B; Spira A
SOURCE: NATURE, **(1994 Aug 4)** 370 (6488) 322.
Journal code: 0410462. ISSN: 0028-0836.
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 94314046 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 94314046 PubMed ID: 8039551
TITLE: Modulation of stress proteins by Cd2+ in a human T cell line.
AUTHOR: Pellegrini O; Davenas E; Morin L; Tsangaris G T; **Benveniste J**; Manuel Y; Thomas Y
CORPORATE SOURCE: Institut National de la Sante et de la Recherche Medicale (INSERM) U 200, Clamart, France.
SOURCE: EUROPEAN JOURNAL OF PHARMACOLOGY, **(1994 Apr 4)** 270 (2-3) 221-8.
Journal code: 1254354. ISSN: 0014-2999.
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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AB We previously showed in a human T cell line (CEM-C12 cells) that Cd2+ induced gene expression of stress proteins, metallothionein-IIA and heat shock protein 70 in a time- and dose-dependent manner. In the present study, CEM-C12 cells were pretreated for 24 h with 1 microM Cd2+ and then challenged with toxic concentrations of this metal. We found that maximal expression of the metallothionein-IIA and heat shock protein 70 genes was increased and this maximal level occurred at higher Cd2+ toxic concentrations. Actinomycin D chase experiments indicated that Cd2+ pretreatment did not modify metallothionein-IIA mRNA stability. The modulatory effect of Cd2+ pretreatment was dose-dependent from 100 pM to 1 microM. Such pretreatment also enhanced resistance to Cd2+ toxicity. Finally, verapamil, a calcium/potassium channel blocker displaced the dose-response curve for Cd2+ toxicity as well as metallothionein-IIA and heat shock protein 70 gene expression to higher Cd2+ concentrations.

L13 ANSWER 18 OF 36 MEDLINE
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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 94229541 PubMed ID: 8174952
TITLE: Gastric secretion of platelet activating factor and precursors in healthy humans: effect of pentagastrin.
AUTHOR: Sobhani I; Denizot Y; Bochlaf S; Rigaud D; Vatier J; **Benveniste J**; Lewin M J; Mignon M
CORPORATE SOURCE: Service de Gastroenterologie, Hopital Bichat, Paris, France.
SOURCE: GUT, **(1993 Aug)** 34 (8) 1051-6.
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AB The release of platelet activating factor (PAF-ACETHER or PAF) and its precursors in the gastric lumen was assessed in 13 normal subjects in basal condition and after stimulation by gastrin. Acid, pepsin, and sialic acid outputs were determined under the same conditions. Gastric juice was collected using a nasogastric tube after overnight fast in basal condition for 60 minutes, then under pentagastrin infusion (6 micrograms/kg/hr for 60 minutes). Platelet activating factor was detected at low concentration in 4/13 subjects under basal condition (mean (SEM) 1.2 (0.6) pg/hr) while high concentrations of lyso platelet activating factor (6.1 (1.8) microgram/hr) and of alkyl-acyl-glycerophosphocholine (AAGPC) (11.5 (3) micrograms/hr) were found in 13 and 11 subjects, respectively. Platelet activating factor was not detected during pentagastrin infusion, while lyso platelet activating factor and alkyl-acyl-glycerophosphocholine were detected in 13 and in 12 subjects, respectively. Compared with the basal condition these platelet activating

factor precursors increased significantly ($p < 0.001$) going up to fivefold baseline (31.8 (6.8) micrograms/hr and 53 (9.3) micrograms/hr respectively) in response to pentagastrin. There was a positive correlation between platelet activating factor precursors and acid or pepsin output but not between platelet activating factor precursors and sialic acid. As sialic acid may be considered an index of mucus glycoprotein degradation, it seems that gastrin stimulation of gastric epithelial cells results in a concomittant secretion of platelet activating factor precursors, acid, and pepsin irrespective of mucus glycoprotein degradation.

L13 ANSWER 19 OF 26 MEDLINE
ACCESSION NUMBER: 94212369 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 94212369 PubMed ID: 8160194
TITLE: Cadmium induces apoptosis in a human T cell line.
AUTHOR: el Azzouzi B; Tsangaris G T; Pellegrini O; Manuel Y; **Benveniste J**; Thomas Y
CORPORATE SOURCE: Institut National de la Sante et de la Recherche Medicale (INSERM), Unite 200, Clamart, France.
SOURCE: TOXICOLOGY, **(1994 Mar 11)** 88 (1-3) 127-39. Journal code: 0361055. ISSN: 0300-483X.
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AB Cadmium, a potent toxic metal, poses a serious environmental threat but the mechanisms of its toxicity remain unclear. In the present study, we investigated the nature of cadmium-induced cell death in the human T cell line CEM-C12. Cadmium was time- and dose-dependently toxic for CEM-C12 cells, cell death being preceded by chromatin condensation and DNA fragmentation. Quantification of the latter indicated an increase above 4 microM cadmium, with maximal fragmentation at 8 to 10 microM. By contrast, when CEM-C12 cells were exposed to higher cadmium concentrations (50 microM), cell death increased without concomitant chromatin condensation or DNA fragmentation. Thus, cadmium at low and high concentration kills CEM-C12 cells by apoptosis and necrosis, respectively. Addition of cycloheximide reduced the apoptotic effect of cadmium, suggesting that cadmium-induced apoptosis is an process depending on protein synthesis. Verapamil, a calcium/potassium channel blocker, markedly increased the viability of CEM-C12 cells treated by low cadmium concentrations and prevented DNA fragmentation. The apoptotic effect of cadmium suggests a possible mechanism for lymphocyte damage occurring after in vivo exposure to cadmium.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 94166598 PubMed ID: 8121255
TITLE: Inhibition by cardiolipins of platelet-activating factor-induced rabbit platelet activation.
AUTHOR: Tsoukatos D; Dempoulos C A; Tselepis A D; Moschidis M C; Donos A; Evangelou A; **Benveniste J**
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SOURCE: LIPIDS, **(1993 Dec)** 28 (12) 1119-24.
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AB Evidence is presented that cardiolipin, a naturally occurring phospholipid, inhibits the aggregatory effect of platelet-activating factor (paf) on rabbit platelets in vitro. Bovine heart cardiolipin was shown to inhibit the aggregation of washed rabbit platelets induced by 1 x 10(-10) M and 2 x 10(-10) M paf with IC50 values (doses for half-maximal inhibition) of 8.4 +/- 0.8 x 10(-7) M and 2.6 +/- 0.6 x 10(-6) M, respectively. Phosphonocardiolipin was also able to inhibit platelet aggregation induced by 1 x 10(-10) M paf with an IC50 value of 3 +/- 1 x 10(-7) M. Both compounds, in concentrations up to 1 x 10(-5) M, were unable to aggregate washed rabbit platelets and failed to inhibit the aggregation induced by 0.9 and 1.8 microM adenosine diphosphate or 0.2-1.0 microM arachidonic acid. By contrast, the acetylated derivative of cardiolipin exerted an aggregatory effect on aspirin-treated rabbit platelets in the presence of creatine phosphate/creatine phosphokinase. This aggregation was inhibited by the specific paf antagonists BN 52021 and WEB 2086. Also, platelets treated with acetyl-cardiolipin were insensitive to the aggregatory effect of paf. Phosphatidic acid, phosphatidylglycerol, bis(dipalmitoylglycero)phosphate and their phosphono analogues were totally inactive. Similar data were obtained when platelet-rich plasma was used instead of washed rabbit platelets. Our results support the hypothesis that the effect of cardiolipin is mediated through specific paf receptors that act on the rabbit platelet membrane.

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